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October 7, 2011

Ann Ritz, Director of Client Services Saint Louis Effort for AIDS 1027 Vandeventer, Suite 700 Saint Louis, Mo 63110

RE: Ryan White Part A, Part B and Minority AIDS Initiative (Project #2011-DOH12)

Dear Ms. Ritz:

Enclosed is a report of the fiscal monitoring review of Saint Louis Effort for AIDS, Ryan White Part A, Part B and Minority AIDS Initiative programs, for the period March 1, 2010 through March 31, 2011. The scope of a fiscal monitoring review is less than an audit, and as such, we do not express an opinion on the financial operations of Saint Louis Effort for AIDS. Fieldwork was completed on June 22, 2011.

This review was made under authorization contained in Section 2, Article XV of the Charter, City of St. Louis, as revised, and has been conducted in accordance with the *International Standards for the Professional Practice of Internal Auditing* and through an agreement with the Department of Health (DOH) to provide fiscal monitoring to all grant sub-recipients.

If you have any questions, please contact the Internal Audit Section at (314) 657-3490.

Sincerely,

Dr. Kenneth M. Stone, CPA Internal Audit Executive

Enclosure:

cc:

Joan McCray, Fiscal Manager, DOH

Sylvia Nelson, Grants Administrator, DOH



## CITY OF ST. LOUIS

### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (DOH) RYAN WHITE PART A, PART B AND MINORITY AIDS INITIATIVE

SAINT LOUIS EFFORT FOR AIDS CONTRACTS #HD-10-44, #HD-10-49 AND #HD-11-05 CFDA #93.914 AND #93.917

FISCAL MONITORING REVIEW

MARCH 1, 2010 THROUGH MARCH 31, 2011

Project #2011-DOH12

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#### INTRODUCTION

#### Background

Contract Name:

Saint Louis Effort for AIDS

**Contract Number:** 

HD-10-44 (Ryan White Part A) HD-10-49 (Ryan White Part B) HD-11-05 Minority AIDS Initiative

**CFDA Number:** 

93.914 (HD-10-44 and HD-11-05)

93.917 (HD-10-49)

**Contract Period:** 

March 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011 (HD-10-44) April 1, 2010 through March 31, 2011 (HD-10-49) August 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011 (HD-11-04)

**Contract Amount:** 

\$728,000 (HD-10-44) \$130,241 (HD-10-49) \$ 91,299 (HD-11-05)

These contracts provided Ryan White Part A, Part B and Minority Initiative funds to Saint Louis Effort for AIDS (Agency) to provide case management services, linkage to care case management, early intervention counseling and testing, and psycho social support services for the St. Louis HIV Region and the St. Louis Transitional Grant Area (TGA).

#### Purpose

The purpose of the review was to determine the Agency's compliance with federal, state and local Department of Health (DOH) requirements for the period March 1, 2010 through March 31, 2011, and make recommendations for improvements as considered necessary.

#### Scope and Methodology

Inquires were made regarding the Agency's internal controls relating to the grant administered by DOH. Evidence was tested supporting the reports the Agency submitted to DOH and other procedures were performed as considered necessary. Fieldwork was completed on June 22, 2011.

#### **Exit Conference**

There were no current observations; therefore, an exit conference was not considered necessary.

#### **OBSERVATIONS**

#### Conclusion

No evidence was found to suggest that the Agency did not comply with federal, state and local DOH requirements.

#### **Status of Prior Observations**

The Agency's previous fiscal monitoring report, Project #2010-DOH11, issued on September 17, 2010, contained no observations.

#### A-133 Status

The Agency expended over \$500,000 in federal awards for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 and was required to have an A-133 audit.

The report dated June 8, 2011, expressed unqualified opinions on the financial statements and the federal awards.

There were no material weaknesses or significant deficiencies identified.

The Agency qualified as a low-risk auditee.

#### **Summary of Current Observations**

There were no current observations.